

MIDDLEBURG, CASEY COUNTY.

—Cy Russell sold to Milford Eabanks a couple of good drives for \$19.

—A number of democrats will go from here to Lexington to see the next president.

—W. P. Kenney has rented the old Bastin steam mill and is rigging it up to saw and grind.

—Janie Wash Institute opened Monday with Prof. Ford as principal and Miss Lizzie Fogle as assistant.

—McD. Jones and Cy Russell went to Stanford to buy tiling for the school-house well at Turkey Knob.

—Tobacco men at Grove have all built large barns, and are cutting and boning their tobacco which is said to be very fine.

—A heavy rain attended by much thunder and lightning fell here Saturday morning. Grass and vegetation generally is looking up.

—Mrs. J. H. Albright, of Brodhead, returned home Monday after a pleasant visit to her father, Mr. J. S. Coulter, and other relatives in this section.

—It is thought by some that a sufficient number of republicans will vote for Bryan on account of his silver views to carry the county for democracy this year.

—The Baptists will have a protracted meeting in the near future. Rev. T. H. Campbell, of Lancaster, who is a great favorite with the members, will probably assist the pastor, Rev. W. E. Foster.

—The trustees of Turkey Knob school in sinking a well at the school-house had to bore 63 feet before reaching water. However, a very strong stream was found, and the water is sulphur, and very cold.

—Rev. William Holt, a young divine of the Kidd's Store section, will preach at the school-house above town on the 4th Sunday at 11 o'clock. He will probably have regular appointment there in the future.

—John Roben, son of Reuben Staton, who lives near town, fell off of a wagon while helping his father haul rock last Thursday and was pretty badly bruised up. It was first thought that he was seriously hurt but he has about recovered.

—Stanford sportsmen may pay dear for squirrels, but George Estes gets them cheap enough. He killed 24 at two hunters recently, and was out only an hour or two at each hunt. George can kill more game with stones than the average sportsman of Stanford can with an improved breachloader.

—Rev. J. Q. Montgomery, the pastor, assisted by Rev. Zick Williams, of Adair county, closed a successful meeting at the Christian church Sunday night. There were but few additions to the church, but Rev. Williams is a very able minister, and his earnest preaching has done the members much good. The church which is large, was crowded at each meeting, and the best of attention was given the preacher.

—Mr. F. M. Browning, who bought land at Grove, said after the Chicago convention that he would vote for McKinley. On approaching him on the subject last week he said that he had reconsidered the matter, and now believed free silver was best after all, and would vote the democratic ticket as he had all ways done. Mr. Browning was the only bolter in this section and thank heaven he is no longer one of those detestible creatures.

—There is always a crowd of boys and young men who attend protracted meetings at night, not for anything good, but just to have a good time, and usually they are bent on some devilment. Just such individuals attended the Christian church last week and amused themselves by taking off taps from wagon and buggy wheels, cutting bridges and saddles, turning horses loose and doing other shamefully mean tricks. The taps were removed from wheels of Mr. J. C. Conlter's wagon, and his mare was turned loose and he was two days in finding her. Another gentleman's horse was found tied to a mule. Some think it was a lot of boys from Yosemite and it more than likely, but they were doubtless led on by older heads and detectives which are at work will probably bring them to justice. A term in the county jail might save the rascals from a term in the penitentiary or from finally dangling at the end of a rope at a distance too high to admit of their feet touching the ground.

—At a public speaking at Sedalia, Mo., Rabbi Cohen, of Cincinnati, and Logan Lockhard, aged 10, were the speakers. The unusual sight of a Jewish Rabbi and a mere child taking part in politics brought thousands to the town. Both spoke for free silver.

—The United States spent last year \$20,000,000 for chewing gum and \$70,000,000 for bicycles. We insist on keeping our feet and jaws moving, even if we starve to death.

—Thomas Hatter, of Elkton, Ind., arose from saying his prayers to find that a black snake was crawling toward him. The shock was so great that he died instantly.

—A 17-year-old boy committed suicide at Warren, O., because his neighbor's daughter said he was too green to live.

LANCASTER, GARRARD COUNTY.

—The graded school will open Monday, under the supervision of Prof. Gowea.

—J. Mort Rothwell has gone out to speak for the democratic ticket, in South Western Kentucky.

—J. C. Thompson and brother are rebuilding their block. There seems to be no prospect of rebuilding the Owsley and Shanks block.

—Many old citizens remember the arrests that were made here, by Negro soldiers, in 1865, by order of Gen. John M. Palmer, the candidate for president on the bolter ticket, and they are sure not to support him.

—William Spencer was fined \$580 in the police court for selling liquor unlawfully. He went to the work house to work out the fine. Thomas Stormes was fined \$50 for the same offense, but the court having failed to swear the jury, turned the prisoner loose on motion of his attorney.

—Circuit court has adjourned. The jury, in the case of the Commonwealth against Sam Sutton, charged with murdering Bob Brewster, at Bryantsville, failed to agree, six being for the highest penalty and six for acquittal. He has been sent to the Richmond jail, while the jail here is being repaired. Henderson Jones has been sent to Frankfort to serve a life sentence for killing William Cumley.

—About 10:30 o'clock Wednesday, four shots were fired in the court-house. A crowd rushed to Judge Burnside's office and found Jettie Knox, a colored shoemaker, lying dead, with a pistol in each hand, and the judge with a shot in his arm and one in his thigh. Postmaster J. I. Hamilton had done the killing, having fired three shots, all of which took effect in Knox's head, and one, by accident, passing through the judge's arm. The shot in the judge's thigh was made by Knox, the judge being between them.

Hamilton had loaned Knox some money to be secured by mortgage. The mortgage had not been fixed and hot words passed between them on Wednesday morning, when Hamilton left him. Afterward Judge Burnside told Hamilton that Knox was in his office to get a peace warrant. Hamilton said that was unnecessary, that he only wanted the mortgage.

They approached the office and found Knox with a pistol in each hand. He snapped at Hamilton, who thinking he was shot, opened fire, with the above result. The coroner's jury adjourned to 2 o'clock Thursday, hoping to get a statement from Judge Burnside, who is resting well at this writing. Elder George Gowen saw Knox with a pistol in his hand some time before the shooting, and it will be proved that he fired a shot, at home, to test his pistol, and that he had made threats. The killing was undoubtedly done in self defense. Knox came here from North Carolina, about one year ago, and was regarded as a tall man, even among his own race.

SOMEWHAT LOCAL.

—Sam E. Ball, aged 70, died in Boyle Sunday night. He married an aunt of Hon. Breckinridge Jones.

—The salary of the mayor of Middleburg has been cut from \$600 a year to \$250 for each meeting of the council.

—D. W. Bright, a prominent citizen of Richmond, died of Bright's disease. He was a gallant soldier of the Confederacy. —Porter Jewitt, wanted in Somerset on a charge of house breaking and for other offenses, was arrested in Burgin.

—Dan McCullom, of Junction City, is the happy possessor of a new guest at his hotel—Ruth Chamberlain, now about a week old.—Advocate.

—The governor has pardoned John Springfield, of Pulaski, who was sentenced to jail for six months for breaking jail when he was in before.

—Linney Lipps, a well-to-do farmer of Boyle county, went to court at Harrodsburg Monday. Soon after his arrival he lost his reason, went into Mr. George B. Hon's store and locked the door on the inside, ordered Mr. Bohon to write out some notices that he would preach that day on "the end of the world," which he said "was nigh at hand," and threatened to kill him if he refused. He was finally arrested and taken Danville to be tried for lunacy.

BOBBITT

Still a Candidate for Everything in Sight.

Fontaine Fox Bobbitt, candidate for the Legislature, and county attorney in Lincoln county, and for Commonwealth attorney in the 13th judicial district in 1897, (and speaking and writing French like a Parisian) a candidate for the appointment as Minister Plenipotentiary to the Court of St. Cloud, and a candidate for Congress in 1898, and a probable candidate for president in 1900, will address the people of Rockcastle county on the financial issue at Mt. Vernon, 3d Monday in September, (circuit court) and at Stanford, 4th Monday in October, (circuit court). As it takes me five and six hours to descend upon the salient points of this important issue, I can't divide time with anyone, and generally when I get through the people don't want to hear any more, unless at Turkeytown, when they cried out speak two more hours. F. F. B.

HUSTONVILLE.

—The date of our Fair is reported as the 7th, 8th and 9th of October.

—A few days since, Owen Williams, while hunting in the knobs, killed a monster rattlesnake. The rattler had nine rattles and was a vicious looking specimen.

—Mrs. Chas. Wheeler left for Cincinnati Wednesday to purchase her Fall stock of millinery, &c. Mrs. Blanche Adams is visiting her mother, Mrs. Johnston, of Danville. Miss Rose Yowell has accepted a position in Caldwell College, at Danville, to teach the present year. Miss Rose is one of the most estimable young ladies of this community and a consecrated and useful worker in the church. We all regret to give her up.

—An art reception Monday opened the art cases of Central Christian College. The instructor, Miss English, is an able artist whose work shows the great versatility of her powers. We feel confident the beauty-loving people of this community will show their appreciation of this fine art by making this class an undoubted success. Studio always open to visitors. Miss English adds to her accomplishments French and German, in which languages she desires to form classes. The high standing she holds in the University of London is a guarantee of her proficiency. Our people should take advantage of the opportunities offered to their daughters in art and modern languages.

FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—Stock ewes for sale. F. P. Bishop, Stanford.

—Woods & Lynn bought of William Logan a lot of butcher stuff at 2½c.

—James Robinson bought of John Bomer, of Garrard, a bunch of heifers at 3c.

—Persimmon, the Prince of Wales' fast horse, won the St. Leger Stakes in England.

—The hemp cutters in Clark county, who struck to get \$3 an acre instead of \$2.25 got it.

—W. H. Underwood sold to R. L. Elkin, of Garrard, a bunch of 1,015 pound cattle at 3½c.

—H. A. Hudson sold to Monte Fox 34 head of feeders, 1,138 pounds average, \$3.50.—Advocate.

—Best cattle were quoted in Cincinnati Wednesday at 4½, best hogs 3.40, sheep 3.40 and lambs 4½c.

—Dr. L. B. Cook sold to B. K. Wearan a large lot of baled hay delivered at 50 cents per hundred.

—ESTRAY.—Black barrow and sow weigh over 200. Left month ago. Reward. G. B. Cooper.

—FOR RENT.—My farm of 230 acres on the Knob Lick and Stanford pike, known as the Harvey Helm farm. Mary F. Givens.

—A new world's record was made at London, O., the other day, when Lady Hal, a yearling, trotted a half mile in 1:07½.

—C. M. Clay sold to W. B. Kidd, 86 export cattle at 4½c and Matt Bedford sold to same 40 at 4½, 13 of them at 4 cents.—Paris Kentuckian.

—Louis Walz bought of W. E. Amon some butcher stuff at 2c and of Mrs. Phillips some of same at same price. He bought of Lige Baughman a few shoats at 2½c.

—J. W. Bales bought of Douglas and Parrish, for Lehman Bros., Jersey City, 187 export cattle, averaging 1,600 pounds, at 4½ cents. They were shipped east Saturday afternoon on a special train of 12 cars. This was the finest lot of cattle shipped from this section for years.—Pantagraph.

—Monday was the biggest court day that Richmond has had for a long time. At the stock pens there were 1,638 cattle, the largest since the beginning of the pen system. Prices ranged from 3 to 3½ cts. and sales were brisk. O. H. Chenault, of Fayette, bought some 1,200 pound cattle at 3½c that contained a few 4-cent steers. There were 21 mules that went at \$50 to \$75. Carothers & Beard, Lexington, bought 19 mules at \$50 to \$100.

Tom Walker, of Lancaster, 14 cotton mules at \$50 to \$60. A 50-acre field of corn down from Poosey sold at 37 cents a barrel.—Climax.

MATRIMONIAL MATTERS.

—Jack Miller, aged 17, and Mrs. Hallie Peak, 30 years his senior, were married at Fairview, Ill.

—Thomas Smith, who has been married six times before, was joined in wedlock's holy bonds to Mrs. Sarah Wilson, four times a widow, at Nelsonville, Tenn.

—At Wellston, Iowa, Alex Winfield shot and killed his step mother because she tried to persuade his wife to leave him. A mob got after him and he ended his own life by putting a bullet in his brain.

—A dispatch from Minneapolis, Minn., says that George J. Schweinfurth, the alleged Messiah, of Rockford, Ill., for the first time since he instituted his church triumphant, has recognized civil laws and married one of his angels, taking Miss Mary Ann Tuttle for his wife Wednesday.

—Over \$1,600,000 in gold arrived in New York from France.

CHURCH CHIMES.

—John Wanamaker gave a picnic to 1,000 members of his Bible union Saturday.

—Rev. B. B. Bailey had 24 additions as a result of his meeting at Providence church, Clark county.—Democrat.

—All who expect to attend the Kentucky conference are requested to send their names to Rev. W. E. Arnold, Somerset.

—Rev. J. W. Tyler returned Friday from his Bloomfield meeting, with 36 additions to the Christian church at that place.—Anderson News.

—Kentucky conference will meet a Somerset September 16. The conference will be invited to go on an eight mile excursion to Burnside and inspect the \$25,000 Kentucky Wesleyan Academy.

—Rev. J. J. Dickey writes Rev. W. S. Grinstead that he has arranged with the Q & C. for those who will attend the conference at Somerset to go on the 3 p. m. local freights the 14th and 15th.

—The Pleasant Grove Christian church in Garrard will be dedicated on the 27th. Next Sunday Eids. J. L. Allen and Geo. Gowen will begin a protracted meeting in the church preparatory to the services.

—Rev. W. S. Grinstead will preach the last sermon of his first conference year at the Methodist church next Sunday in which he will review his work for the year, a synopsis of which we will give in our next issue.

—The revival services at the Baptist chapel in South End, conducted by Rev. W. R. Davidson, continues with remarkable interest; 15 additions to the Baptist church and to some other churches up to date.—Somerset Paragon.

—Rev. Ben Helm is at home from a meeting held at Spears in Jessamine, which resulted in 18 conversions, sanctifications and reclamations. He also says two of these will likely become preachers and two of the ladies missionaries.

—Eld. G. W. Yancy, pastor of the Christian church at Cynthiana and once pastor of the church at Lancaster, died at Williamstown Monday. His bodily infirmities affected his mind which had been nearly blank for some time.

—Rev. T. A. Bracken, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church at Lebanon, has resigned on account of advancing years and inability to fully discharge his duty and the congregation has reluctantly accepted it, promising to pay him full salary to Jan. 1.

—Bishop A. W. Wilson, assisted by the former pastors of the old church at Danville, will dedicate the new church there Sunday. The Advocate insures a big crowd by announcing that the entire debt has been provided for and that no collection will be taken.

—Evangelist W. R. Lloyd continues to preach powerful sermons at the Christian church and arouse the sinner to the importance of fleeing from the wrath to come. Already 11 have united with the church and the crowds which pack the building from pulpit to vestibule, and fill the latter, show the great interest he has awakened. At first there was considerable adverse criticism by those who were told so plainly of "their meanness," as one good brother expressed it, but even these have staid to fall in with those who give the speaker their heartiest commendation. Last night Bro. Lloyd was to preach on "Baptism," which he promised to treat in a different manner from that usually presented the preachers of his church. The meeting may last two weeks yet.

CLAY COUNTY

Almost Sure to go Democratic.

MANCHESTER, Sept. 7.—Hon. James D'Black, democratic nominee for Congress in this district, spoke to an immense audience here to-day. The people of this county are wild for Black and free silver. Although Bradley for governor carried the county nearly 800 last November it is almost a foregone conclusion that it will go for the democratic ticket this fall. The outlook for the republicans in this district is gloomy. D. G. Colson and John D. White each claim to be the regular republican nominee and no matter how the matter is decided in the contest both will run the race to a finish. With the vote thus divided and the number of free silver republicans, Black's election is almost a certainty. Free silver is making rapid progress in the mountains. Almost every farmer is taking papers and is becoming very much enlightened on the currency question. At the same rate of increase from now until the election as has been in the last month, James D. Black will represent the 11th Congressional district of Kentucky in the 55th Congress and Bryan will get the largest vote ever polled in South Eastern Kentucky for a democratic president.

DUNCAN.

—John Engleman has on exhibition at W. H. Wearan & Co's. store a dozen of the largest ears of corn we have seen in many a day. Mr. Engleman says he can beat the world on corn and we believe he is right.

—At Lawrenceburg, Ind., Roger Law cut Samuel Dickinson's head open with a mason's trowel because the latter refused to lend him a dollar.

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For President and Vice-President

BRYAN AND SEWALL

For Judge of the Court of Appeals

JUDGE W. S. PRYOR

Of New Castle.

GEN. PALMER, the boltocrat nominee for president, was born at Sadieville, Scott county, Ky., but as he left the Commonwealth as soon as he could get away he deserves no credit for being a native Kentuckian, especially since his next visit to the State was in Federal uniform and as a military despot. While in command at Louisville, he issued an order just before the election in 1865, which was designed to disfranchise every democrat and Southern sympathizer in the State. The preamble of the order is full of venom and vituperation, and the order itself shows how bitter were his feelings for those who fought or gave aid or comfort to the cause they loved. "All rebel soldiers and all guerrillas, all who have by act or word, directly or indirectly given aid, comfort or encouragement to such and all who have in any manner engaged in the civil service of the Confederacy or the so-called provisional government of Kentucky" were ordered not to try to vote or to appear at the polls, under penalty of immediate arrest and military trial, which meant death or other severe punishment such drumhead courts would inflict. This is the gentleman whom so-called democrats have put up for the suffrages of these same "rebel soldiers and sympathizers," but we take it that not many will be cajoled in supporting him. The war has been over 30-odd years, and it is time we had peace, but it is a little too much under any guise to ask Southern people to support a man who when clothed in a little brief military authority cut such fantastic tricks that men, women and angels were forced to weep.

The republican and sore head democratic papers went wild with delight last week when Vermont, a stinking little republican borough, went the way it always does by an increased majority. They read the fate of Bryan in the result and claimed that he was a dead cock in the pit. Monday the State of Arkansas went democratic by 10,000 more votes than Vermont casts combined and these sheets not only pretend not to see anything in the result, but with malice aforethought and with intent to deceive publish the returns so that the democratic victory may look as small as possible. Usually the majority over the republican ticket is stated, but this time the majority over the combined opposition is used. But manipulate as they will and lie as those papers do the fact stands out in bold relief that the Arkansas democrats have elected their State ticket by 65,000 majority over the republican ticket in a total vote of 165,000, or nearly 2 1/2 times as large as the democratic majority in 1892. Alabama 40,000, Arkansas 65,000! These straws show which way the gale is blowing so plainly that the way faring man though a fool need not err therein or fail to read as he runs.

REV. THOMAS DIXON, JR., the lecturer, preached a political sermon at the Academy of Music, New York, last Sunday, in which he took occasion to denounce Bryan and his supporters in red hot terms. A great many left the hall, but many of the friends of the democratic candidate remained and gave vent to their disapprobation in hisses, and when he said the intent to pay debts with 50 cent dollars was absolute rascality, he was denounced as a liar. The turbulent scenes continued through the discourse, which was a disgrace to the pulpit.

It is stated that when Gov. Bradley leaves the State on his own or political business he pays Lt. Gov. Worthington out of his own pocket for occupying the executive chair during his absence. This is highly commendable and strictly honest, but we hope he won't be at much expense that way. The lieutenant governor seems to have no higher appreciation of the governor's office than that it is a pardon machine, intended solely to liberate men who the courts have said should suffer the penalty for their crimes.

AND now comes a circuit judge who decides that the law against the sale of liquor on Sunday is unconstitutional. Judge Bishop rendered such a decision at Paducah and the bar rooms are being run wide open on the Lord's day. If the law closing up those shops is really unconstitutional, the people can not take steps too soon to make it constitutional.

The Middlesboro News seems to think that Judge Burnam's friendship for John D. White will cost him his election for appellate judge. Put it that way if you like, but down here we figure that Judge Pryor's transcendent ability will make the voters forget who is running against him.

Mr. BRYAN is a mighty busy man. In addition to making from three to five speeches a day this week, he has accepted his nomination by the silver party in a speech to the notification committee and has issued his formal letter accepting the democratic nomination for president. In the latter he says he unqualifiedly endorses every plank of the platform and will favor and defend them with all his power. To the silver men, who have but one plank in their platform, that declaring for free silver at 16 to 1, Mr. Bryan said he was for it heart and soul, adding that "when I declare that I would not support a gold-standard candidate, I was standing upon the record of the democratic party. I was defending its principles as well as the interests of the country at large." There are differences of opinion as to the record of the democratic party on the silver question, at any rate Mr. Bryan makes a mistake in being so dogmatic. A great many democrats, who believe in the gold standard are supporting him because of party allegiance, who dislike to hear him reiterate a remark, which in the first place was ill advised and unnecessary.

The free turnpike craze has assumed a most malignant form in Washington county, where armed mobs cut down poles and burned toll houses in their mad desire to travel free before a vote can be taken on the question of public ownership of the roads. An effort to arrest these midnight marauders resulted in a threat to burn the town of Springfield, and it was apparently attempted to be carried into execution by a large war house in the heart of the town being set on fire. The town is under guard and it is hoped the guilty rascals will be caught and given condign punishment.

Every republican paper of the rural rooster variety, that comes to this office, has a supplement folded within with letters, figures, pictures and everything identical. These sheets are furnished gratuitously by the republican campaign committee to papers that will handle them. It is a stretch of the right that the post-office department gives newspapers to use the mails to permit such supplements to be sent out, but it is a small matter as not a great many can be thus distributed.

Some of the Cincinnati mercantile houses have adopted an electioneering dodge by giving notice that if free silver carries it will be necessary for them to reduce the number of their traveling men. This policy of coercion is in keeping with the republicans, who adopt every means to make their employees vote their way, even to absolute discharge when they show their independence by voting as they want to.

On the 1,000th ballot at Elizabethtown, D. H. Smith was nominated for Congress by the convention, which broke up in a row. Smith is the cross-eyed gynecist who, all Lincoln county people, who attended the Lebanon convention, remember with increasing disgust for the part he took against Judge Saffley, when Barbour was nominated for superior judge.

Mr. BRYAN says he is certain to carry New York and that he has never had the slightest doubt of his election. He may be mistaken about the Empire State, but several millions of voters fully concur in the latter conviction.

HOBART has issued a lengthy letter of acceptance. Let some might inquire, "Who the hell is Hobart?" we will state that he is McKinley's running mate on the republican ticket.

POLITICAL POINTS.

—Shelby county's Bryan club numbers nearly 2,000.

—The Watterson Club at Louisville has endorsed Bryan and Sewall.

—Gen. Harrison was offered the presidency of the Indianapolis University, but declined the honor.

—It is probable that Gen. J. C. Black will decline to run for governor as a sound money candidate in Illinois.

—The man who led the bolt at the St. Louis convention, Henry M. Teller, will speak at Ashland, Ky., Sept. 19.

—The New Jersey State convention of silver democrats incoined the Chicago nominee and put out a full electoral ticket.

—Judge Morrow will make the welkin ring at Williamsburg on the 19th, when he will mount the raging stump for the republican ticket.

—The Hon. W. W. Stevenson, of Harrodsburg, is being spoken of as a likely sound money nominee for Congress, but it is all talk. He won't run.

—The N. Y. World thinks the support of Billy Breckinridge ought to cost the Indianapolis ticket 10,000 votes but Willie is hardly so hefty as that.

—Chairman Holt, of the Indiana democratic State committee, will resign as the result of a quarrel with Gov. Matthews, and seven others may follow his example.

—The Harrodsburg Sayings took a vote among the old Confederate soldiers, who attended the funeral of J. Allen Rue, a comrade, with this result: McKinley 1, Palmer 1, Bryan 15.

—The boltocrat papers are publishing this transparent lie: A poll of precinct A, of the city of Lincoln, Neb., Mr. Bryan's home precinct, shows McKinley 210, Bryan 71, doubtful 11.

—It is possible that the National democratic ticket may be withdrawn in favor of McKinley.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune. It would be just as well as it is only a McKinley Aid society.

—John Gary Evans, the protege and candidate of Senator Tillman, has been defeated in the South Carolina Senatorial election by Judge Earle. Tillman seems to be losing his grip.

—Gov. Bradley has ordered special elections for successors to Senators Nell and Lande and Representatives Moss, Brown, Dunlap and W. E. Walker. They will occur at the regular November elections.

—Palmer is 79 and Buckner 75 years old. Nice pair of back numbers they are to try to "bust up" a party with six million voters. They are old enough to have more sense than that.—Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

—The rally by the bolting democracy will be held in Louisville September 19. Judge William Lindsay will be the orator of the occasion. Other distinguished speakers will be present including probably Secretary Carlisle.

—Two prisoners in the Greenup county jail, Stevens and Archery, argued the money question and they are now occupying separate cells, the former with a bad wound on the head from a stove lid and the latter covered with bruises.

—First a democrat; then a howling blatant republican; next a general, preventing honest and fair elections in Kentucky and using bayonets to recind the will of ballots; next a democrat and elected Senator by democratic voters; and finally a boltocrat. Such is, in brief, the record of John M. Palmer, nominated at Indianapolis by the boltocratic convention.—Owensboro Messenger.

—Col. Jack Chinn is going to give a big barbecue in or near Harrodsburg on Saturday, September 19, for the democracy of Mercer county. Among the noted speakers he will have on hand is his friend Joe Blackburn. The colonel is going to put up the stuff, says the Sayings, for the entire affair and there will be plenty to eat for all who come, and nothing in the way of money or labor will be spared to make the gathering a glittering success.

—Next Monday Gov. Bradley will leave for a two weeks' speaking tour through Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, West Virginia and such other places as the campaign committee may send him, and during that period he will pay the acting governor's salary out of his own pocket. As this is \$20 a day, it will be seen that Gov. Bradley will pay pretty heavily for his outing. But perhaps he can hire the old man at a pretty low figure and save considerably.

—Tom Watson, whom the populists nominated for vice president, made a speech at Dallas, Texas, in which he declared he had no intention of withdrawing. Of the other nominee he said: Mr. Sewall cannot carry his own family. Whenever my own son takes the stump and begins to make speeches against me like Mr. Sewall's son is doing against him, I will get off the ticket and crawl under the bed and hide myself. Mr. Sewall cannot carry the ward in which he lives. He can not carry the town in which he lives. He can not carry the State in which he lives. He is a wart on the party. He is a knot on the log. (Laughter.) He is a dead weight on the ticket.

MORE NEWS NOTES.

—Ex-United States Senator Henry B. Payne, of Ohio, is dead, aged 86.

—The Nicholson liquor law in Indiana has caused the closing of 700 saloons.

—Ed Garrett was shot and killed by his brother in self defense, near Beverly.

—The Cellulose factory at Owensboro burned, loss \$50,000. It employed a score or more of men.

—A child nine years old has been sent to prison in Mississippi for 10 years for killing another child.

A. J. Wilson, ex-sheriff of the county, was killed by falling on a circular saw near Louisville, this State.

—A man named Ritter was run over and killed at Walton while attempting to cross the railroad track.

—While discussing the money question in the jail at Greenup, one prisoner brained another with a stove lid.

—Clifford Nadard, of Covington, won the Lexington-Covington road race in six hours, seven minutes and 14 seconds.

—At Underwood, O., a man killed his wife with a base ball bat, then mounted a bicycle, rode into the country and cut his throat.

—Son of Veterans began their 15th annual encampment in Louisville. Estimates place the number of visitors at 2,000 to date.

—Near Warsaw, Ind., the horses attached to a tallyho, backed it over an embankment, resulting in the death of six persons and the serious injury of four others.

—A desperate attempt on the part of Scott Jackson, Alonzo Walling and another prisoner to escape from the Campbell county jail was fortunately discovered by a turnkey.

—Li Hung Chang bought an American bicycle to take to China with him. He puts in the usual Chinese claim to priority by asserting that the bicycle was invented in China about 2300 B. C.

—Sam Thalheimer, a youth of 19, was stabbed to death at Richmond, Va., by J. E. Weimer, who charged that his victim had betrayed his daughter. The dead man was the son of a prominent Jewish merchant.

—Taylor Barr, sheriff of Trimble county, was fatally shot by a prisoner named George Roman. He had permitted the man to go into the house of a friend and when he came out he emptied the contents of a pistol he had borrowed.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

THE JOSEPH PRICE INFIRMARY.—Drs. J. G. Carpenter and J. F. Peyton have just completed their new infirmary on Whiteley Avenue and it is indeed a marvel of convenience and neatness. There are 15 rooms, about half of which have two beds. Each room is supplied with a wardrobe, dresser, thermometer, call-bell, &c., and everything is new and clean as a pin. The ventilation is perfect and the plumbing is all under ground. The reception room is handsomely furnished and much taste is displayed in the arrangement of it. One of the most important rooms is the operating room, which can be made light as day. The floor of it is made of cement, the ceiling and walls are of hard wood and it can be cleaned from top by an overflow of water. The laundry and kitchen are both splendidly arranged, while the dining room is as cozy as can be. One of the rooms for patients has been dedicated by Dr. Carpenter to his mother. It is furnished with a bedstead she used to sleep on, but which has been made new again by the touch of the carpenter and painter. Another room will be dedicated to Dr. Peyton's mother. In it is a handsome cherry dresser that belonged to the doctor's parents and which was made by James McKinley in 1780. The six brass trimmed, iron beds presented to Dr. Carpenter by Dr. Joseph Price, of Philadelphia, like the ones he uses, and the arrangement of the infirmary is said by those who have seen it to very much resemble the infirmary owned by that noted surgeon. A little later on two rooms will be built for the use of Negroes and a fund is now being raised by the several colored churches here to pay the expenses of the unfortunate ones of that race who need treatment. The proprietors are very anxious that a charity bed be placed in the infirmary and will themselves donate liberally toward it. In order to accommodate those who desire to give to this good cause, Drs. Carpenter and Peyton have had numerous boxes made and will place them in the vestibule of the various churches in this county. Any money dropped in will be duly appreciated and credited to the charity bed fund. From 2 to 5:30 this afternoon the infirmary will be open for inspection and the people of Stanford and vicinity are cordially invited to visit it. Misses Sallie Green and Lizzie Bright will take great pleasure in showing you through.

MT. VERNON.—The Collegiate Institute opened last week with good attendance, hopeful endeavor and royal enthusiasm. The college building had been newly renovated, the rooms are cheerful, large and convenient. The chapel is a fine audience room where each morning the pupils congregate for the opening exercises. Everything about the exterior indicates a thorough and prosperous year. What will really be accomplished must be determined by teacher and pupil. Mr. C. C. Williams has established the Williams Prize as an incentive to earnest effort in oratory. The declamatory contest will take place some time in February. The musical department is well equipped, a new piano and organ have been moved into the music room for the use of pupils. Both vocal and instrumental music will be made a specialty. Rev. D. McDonald will give a reading at the college at Mt. Vernon on Friday evening, Sept. 11th. The program will be varied by music, a quartette will sing and several vocal solos will be interspersed. Proceeds will be applied to furnishing the new Presbyterian church, which is to be dedicated in two or three weeks.

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Suggestive Talk on Hard Times.

There is no denying the fact that "Hard Times" is with us, and a few suggestions how to deal with "him" seems very appropriate just now. It matters very little whether you believe in the free coinage of silver or in the single gold standard theory. There is a good time coming for all industrious people in this country in any event. But it will not come this year; it cannot come; hence all honest people should be as saving as possible, and above all keep out of debt. In view of these conditions, James Frye, Hustonville, will, from this day, sell goods for cash or country produce and will make no accounts for more than 30 days. All accounts will be due on the first day of each month, and you need not hunt any further than his store for the lowest possible prices on Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Dry Goods, &c. I am now closing out a big line of Fancy Shirts. If you want Carpet or Matting, don't buy till you get my prices. Statement of your account will be mailed to you on the first day of each month.

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MARIA PREFERRED TO JUMP FROM THE FIFTH STORY.

Had Been on the Roof Two Days and on a Window Cornice Another—Bostwain's Chair, Fish Net and Basket Failed to Entice Her—Landed on Her Feet.

A black Maria cat with a white nose and possessing elevated ideas of life managed to get on the roof of the Waverly building, a six story structure at 339 Broadway, last Tuesday. For two days the cat loafed about the roof trying to think of some way in which she could get down to the street. If it had been an ordinary building, the task of reaching the sidewalk would have been easy. But the building is not an ordinary one. To the cat it appeared top heavy, for the cornice projected out over the top story windows, and the only thing to do was to make what an educated cat might call a concave dive. Maria arrived at this conclusion on Thursday afternoon and made the dive, landing on top of the bay window of the fifth floor. The next move was to come down another story, but when Maria sized up the situation she concluded this was an impossibility even for a high minded Broadway cat. Then she lay down to rest for the night.

Yesterday morning she tried to get back to the roof. The trial resulted in a failure. Then she looked at the sidewalk and longed to be with the passing show.

"Meow! Meow! Oh, meow!" she said to the crowd that had gathered on the opposite side of the street. The last of the three appeals, according to the engineer of the building, Jim Brush, means in cat talk, "Please do something for me." So the engineer called half a dozen men from the bicycle repair shop in the building, and, going to the roof, the rescuing party rigged up a boat-swain's chair with a block and fall fastened to the chimney. The bicycle repair gang, being inexperienced in cat rescuing, bungled the job.

A man was lowered from the roof in the boat-swain's chair. Then 5,000 men and women who had gathered on Broadway cheered. The cat, probably seeing a resemblance to a bootjack in the chair, shied and went to the end of the window opposite to where the bicycle life saver came down, so that, in the words of a pretzel baker in the crowd, "When he was there, she was here." The repair shop gang on the roof hoisted the hero back and took the chair to the other end of the building, where it was rigged up over the point where the cat was lodged. Again the rescuer was lowered, and the pretzel man yelled out:

"Now he's here and she's there!" The cat had run to the other end of the window cornice, and the crowd cheered. She went the boat-swain's chair to the roof again, and the six members of the bicycle repair gang held a consultation. It was decided to try it again, this time baiting the cat with a chunk of beef tied to a rope. The cat toyed with the beef as if playing with a mouse, much to the amusement of the crowd, but Maria kept far away from the man in the chair.

Engineer Brush finally sent for a fish net. When he tried to capture Maria with the net, she jumped from the cornice to the window sill. A man inside the building quickly covered her with a wicker paper basket and dragged her into his office. The cat by this time was badly frightened, and, getting out of the basket, scratched her rescuer and escaped out of the window back to her old position.

The man with the basket leaned out of the window a second time. The cat looked at him, and then glanced down at the crowd on Broadway, as if measuring the distance with her eye. Crouching down, she sprang from the fifth story window ledge and landed on the sidewalk right side up with care. Then she darted off, dodging imaginary messenger boys and real cable cars and disappeared around the corner of Leonard street.—New York Sun.

NEW BASEBALL PLAY.

Pitcher Touches Out a Base Runner and Paralyzes Glasscock.

A play was made in the St. Paul-Kansas City game the other day which old time baseball men say they never saw before, and they doubt if a similar play was ever made in the history of the game. Jack Glasscock had made third base, and Bill George had reached second.

Both took advantage of the inplaying of the field to catch an anticipated bunt and ventured far away from the bases. Suddenly Jimmy Callahan, who was pitching for Kansas City, turned and ran for George and touched him before he could return to second base. Glasscock could have made the home plate, but was so interested in watching Callahan that he forgot to run.—Chicago Times-Herald.

A Political Novelty.

Rather a new kind of political organization has been formed at Temple, Tex. It is a McKinley and Hobart club organized among the leading colored women of the city. The call for the meeting created something of a stir among the colored people, and a large number of them assembled at the appointed time last night to take in the proceedings. Everything passed off peaceably and harmoniously.

Mrs. Charlotte Ballew was elected president and Mrs. F. E. Epperson secretary as permanent officers.—San Antonio Express.

How's This For Heat?

Orwingsville, Ky., feels itself entitled to claim the weather record for the year, inasmuch as a lemon in a drug store sprouted under the heat, shoots springing from eight of the seeds. One of the sprouts protruded through the skin and led to the discovery.



THE TABLES WERE TURNED.

How a Practical Joker's Rude Trick Proved His Own Discomfiture.

Royalty dearly loves its fun, and nowhere are practical jokes more in vogue than in the palaces of old world monarchs. No one, it is said, is fonder of practical joking than the Prince of Wales. His private secretary, Sir Francis Knollys, has, in times gone by, been called upon to endure with good humor and serenity many a trying experience. One day not long ago, Sir Francis got the laugh on the would be joker and gave him a taste of his own medicine.

Among the prince's friends was a famous sportsman, Captain "Bay" Middleton, whose favorite trick used to be to approach from behind some unsuspecting man and seize his coat-tails, which he would wrench apart in such a manner as to split the garment up the back.

At Sandringham Sir Francis took pains to offer himself as the victim and butt for the gallant "Bay." When the men retired to the smoking room after the princess and ladies were gone, he took up his place in front of the fire, bent his head, and appeared entirely lost in thought.

His attitude was too inviting not to appeal to the jocular instincts of Captain Middleton, who, after asking the prince's permission to leave the card table for a moment, crept up softly to Sir Francis, suddenly seized hold of the tails of his dress coat, and with a jerk tore it apart from waist to collar.

Unlike most of "Bay's" victims, Sir Francis took the matter in exceedingly good spirits. Indeed, he laughed and appeared greatly to enjoy the fun. Somewhat astonished, the prince and the men present inquired how it was that Sir Francis had treated the matter with such indifference.

"That is very easy to explain, sir," was the reply. "The coat is not mine. I had heard of Middleton's fondness for this particular form of amusement, and, accordingly, when I came down stairs just now to the smoking room I took the precaution of going into his room and putting on one of his dress coats, which was lying on his bed."

There was a hurricane of irrepressible laughter as he uttered these words, and the merriment was intensified by the disconcerted appearance of Captain Middleton, who was bitterly annoyed to have thus destroyed one of his best evening coats.—New York Journal.

Poor Substitutes For "No."

"So, son," said the graybeard, "you are about to go forth to do battle with the world."

"Yes, father," answered the young man.

"One of the first things you should learn, my boy," the old man continued, "is to learn to say 'no.'"

"I think I understand."

"I dunno whether you do or not. The point I am trying to get is that the habit of saying 'naw' and 'nit' was all right while you were in college, but it ain't the correct thing for a business man."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

It All Depends.

He had been buried in thought for some time.

"Do you suppose," he asked at last, "the new woman will ever sit on the supreme bench?"

"It all depends," she replied promptly. "She'll never do it so long as the judges persist in wearing gowns."—Chicago Post.

A Lie Told.

"Sharpson, I don't believe you have been inside a church for six months."

"Phlatz, that's unjust. Only three Sundays ago I spent an hour and a half in the vestibule of one of the finest churches on the south side, when I was out riding on my wheel and got caught in a shower, blame you!"—Chicago Tribune.

Hard Hit.

Mildred—Have you heard the news about Charlie Hinks and Mabel Buxton?

Adelaide—No. What is it?

Mildred—He's in love with her.

Adelaide—How do you know?

Mildred—He worked two hours at a stretch last night trying to teach her mother to ride the bicycle.—Cleveland Leader.

Sydney Smith Discredited.

The living skeleton mopped his heated brow.

"I guess," he sighed, "that the philosopher who wanted to take off his flesh and sit in his bones didn't know what he was talking about."—New York Press.

Proper Pride.



"Well, Nigel, if I let you stay in the drawing room, you must be very quiet, and not want to talk to me when visitors are here. Do you understand?"

"Yes, mummy, I understand, but when I comes into the drawing room, I am a visitor!"—Punch.

HUMAN ANGLING MATCH.

The Oelrichs Brothers Win a Water Contest Against Rod and Line.

A large number of the members of the summer colony at Newport witnessed a so called "human angling match" for a wager the other day between the Oelrichs brothers, Charles and Herman, and a Mr. Powell.

Charles Oelrichs, accompanied by his brother, Herman Oelrichs, Robert Ralston, and Oliver Belmont, swam out to the flagship Carrie of the Kat Bote club, which was moored close to the raft. The raft itself was occupied by many ladies and gentlemen in bathing costumes, eager to see the sport at close range.

Dr. White, J. L. Kernochan and S. Powell, Jr., joined the party on the Carrie, and a beginning was made by Charles M. Oelrichs, Herman Oelrichs, Oliver Belmont and Robert Ralston jumping overboard and swimming 200 feet from the Carrie. Charles Oelrichs then fastened a stout line to his belt, while the others surrounded him as a matter of precaution. The cliffs were occupied by interested spectators.

Without touching the line Mr. Oelrichs managed to keep the angler very busy, and the rod in which the line was strung bent like a bow beneath the strain of the swimmer's powerful strokes. Mr. Oelrichs managed to keep his distance well, and only once during five minutes was Mr. Powell able to haul him back over the imaginary starting line, and then only for about 10 or 12 feet, after which Mr. Oelrichs regained his ground and held until, a few minutes later, the line snapped, and the contest was decided in favor of Mr. Oelrichs.

It was now Herman Oelrichs' turn to compete for a wager that he had made to the effect that the angler could not move him five feet toward the Carrie in 15 minutes. For exactly 20 minutes he kept the line taut. The angler did his best to haul him toward the Carrie, but the swimmer did not lose a foot. On the contrary, he gained several feet on the angler before the 20 minutes had expired. When Mr. Oelrichs came aboard the flagship, he was heartily cheered, and a few moments afterward he swam to the shore, apparently not in the least fatigued by his powerful exertions.

It is understood that both Herman Oelrichs and Charles Oelrichs have made large wagers, which have been accepted, that they both could hold their distances for a half hour without being hauled aboard a vessel under the same conditions.—New York Sun.

DUEL ON ENGINES.

Owners of Steam Thrashers Engage in a Novel Battle.

A duel with traction engines occurred in Jefferson county, Kan., about six miles west of Tonganoxie. The result was that both engines were badly wrecked and one man fatally injured.

Last week Earhart, a farmer, went to see Peat, who owned a thrashing machine, and engaged him to come to his farm and do his thrashing. Peat promised to come on Monday. When Monday came, Peat did not arrive.

He got another machine. The second machine was owned by Brooks, but he was not running it, nor was he with it.

The men agreed to do the work, but could not reach Earhart's before Tuesday evening. Just as the engine was steaming up the road to enter the farmyard gate Peat's machine came up from the other way. Both met at the gate, which is some distance from the house. There immediately followed a dispute, each one desiring to get the work, though the job was a very small one.

The dispute became more and more violent, and neither man would give way to allow the other to enter. They both then started up with the determination to enter despite any opposition. The engines were started and met at the gate. Neither machine was injured. Both backed away to get better room to enter, and the second time the start was made both engines attempted to make the entrance. By this time the men running them were thoroughly angry, and the throttles were opened wide. One engine reared on end and fell partly over the other, and both were complete wrecks.

A fireman named Stevens, who was on Peat's engine, was caught between the engine and water tank and injured so he cannot live.—Kansas City Times.

Butcher Knife In a Cow.

A year ago this summer a cow belonging to John Osborn, a Wyoming county (N. Y.) farmer, swallowed a butcher knife. The knife was accidentally dropped in the fodder of the animal. How it passed down the throat of the beast is a mystery, but that it did has just been proved by the knife protruding through the ribs and forming a sore. When this sore was opened, the point of the knife was seen. An attempt to draw it out was made, but it could only be drawn as far as the hilt. A veterinary surgeon who was called says the knife probably passed from the stomach into the lung cavity. The animal was out of sorts until the sore broke, but is now all right. She will be fattened and killed for beef.

McCusker's Challenge.

Professor Donaldson's challenge to swim any man in the world a race of 20 or 30 miles has received a reply from James L. McCusker of 18 Fleet street, Everett, Mass., who claims the championship for long distance swimming and offers to race Professor Donaldson either 5, 10 or 20 miles for \$500 a side anywhere around New York within two or three weeks from the date of signing articles.

Laugh or Be Pummelled.

It is dangerous to ignore humor in Arizona, as a ranchman near Phoenix learned when he failed to show appreciation of a fellow workman's funny story. He was so badly pummeled that the humorist has been arrested.

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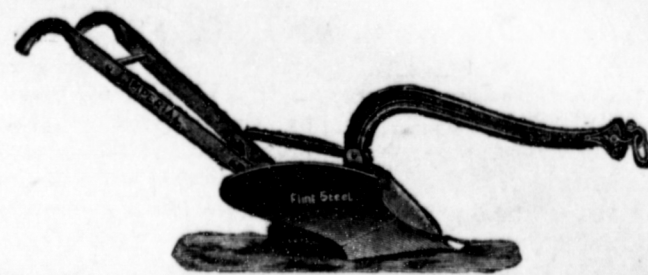
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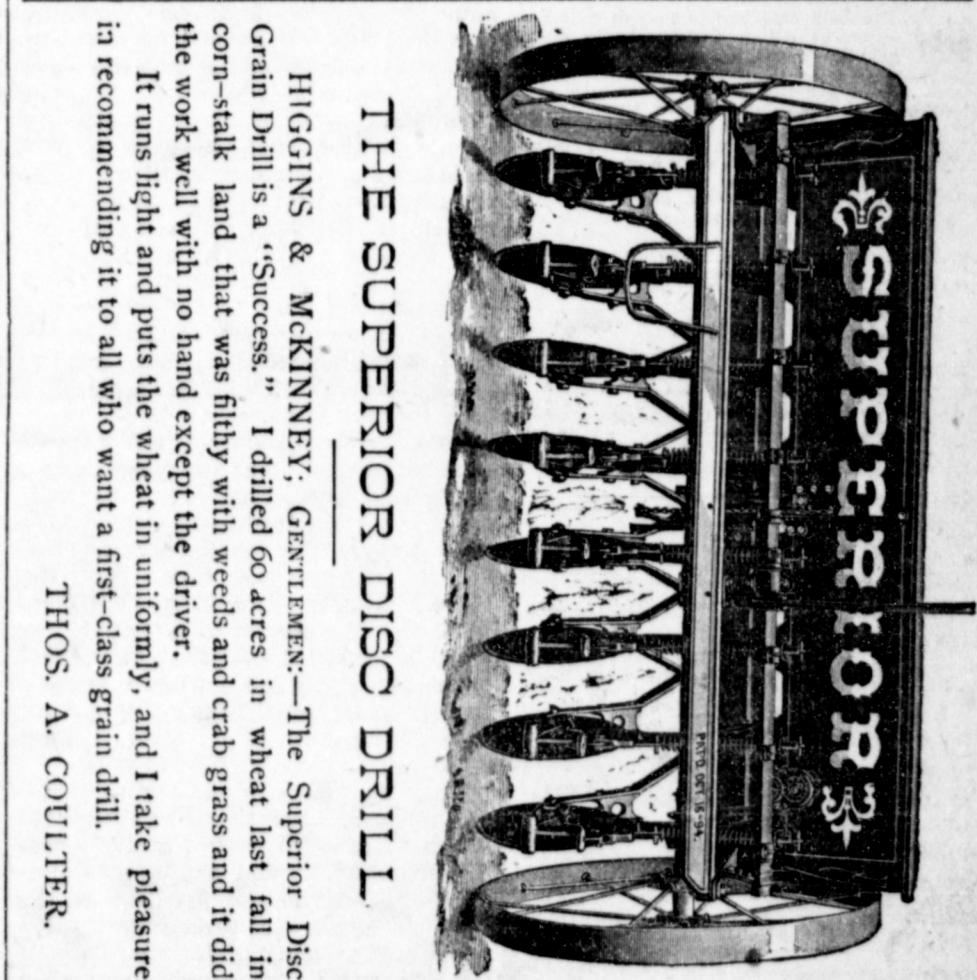
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STANFORD, KY., - SEPT. 11, 1896

E. C. WALTON, Business Manager.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the democratic county committee held in Stanford, Ky., on Monday, Sept. 14th, (county court day), at 10 A. M. Every member is urged to be present, as business of vital importance will come before the committee.

J. E. CARSON, Chm'n.

E. C. WALTON, Asst. Secy.

—For four months the four vestibuled limited trains of the Chesapeake & Ohio between Washington and Cincinnati each covered 599 miles 123 times, a grand total of 292,312 miles, or nearly 11½ times the earth's circumference, and yet the four trains were on time 463 times out of a possible 488, an average of 95 per cent. Considering the number of trains, the period covered, the distance run and the mountainous nature of the country traversed, these figures speak volumes for the physical condition and management of the road, and account for this popularity with travelers between the East and West.

The Discovery Saved His Life.
Mr. G. Colliette, druggist, Beaverville, Ill., says: "To Dr. King's New Discovery I owe my life. I was taken with a gripe and tried all the physicians I could find, but no avail and was given up and told I could not live. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in my store, I sent for a bottle and began its use and from the first dose began to get better and after using three bottles was up and about again. It is worth its weight in gold. We want keep store or house without it. Get a free trial at W. B. McRoberts' Drug Store."

Cure for Headache.
As a remedy for all forms of Headache Electric Bitters has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded of all ailments yields to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual headache Electric Bitters cures by giving the needed tone to the bowels and gives relief without the use of this medicine. Try it once. Large bottles only 50 cents at W. B. McRoberts' Drug Store.

Bucklin's Arnica Salve.
The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions. It positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. B. McRoberts' Drug Store.

—A number of Eastern mills have shut down. This is usually done just before a presidential election. It is a trick of the protected manufacturers to bring a pressure on their idle employees to induce them to vote for McKinley.—Georgetown Times.

SENT IT TO HIS MOTHER IN GERMANY.
Mr. Jacob Eshensen, who is in the employ of the Chicago Lumber Co., at Des Moines, Iowa, says: "I have just sent some medicine back to my mother in the old country, that I know from personal use to be the best medicine in the world for rheumatism, having used it in my family for several years. It is called Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It always does the work."

For sale by Craig & Hocker, Stanford, Ky.
In a recent letter to the manufacturers, Mr. W. F. Benjamin, editor of the Spectator, Rushford, N. Y., says: "It may be a pleasure to you to know the high esteem in which Chamberlain's medicines are held by the people of your own State, where they must be best known. An aunt of mine, who resides at Dexter, Iowa, was about to visit me a few years since, and before leaving home wrote me, asking if they were sold there, stating that if they were not she would bring a quantity with her, as she did not like to be without them. The medicines referred to are Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of colds and croup; Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism, lame back, pains in the side and chest, and Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. These medicines have been in constant use in Iowa for almost a quarter of a century. The people here learned that they are articles of great worth and merit, and unequalled by any other."

For sale by Craig & Hocker, Stanford, Ky.
From all accounts, Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a Godsend to the afflicted. There is no advertisement about this we just feel like saying it.—The Democrat, Carrollton, Ky.

—They give money pretty liberally at Rev. A. B. Simpson's church at Old Orchard, New York. A few Sundays ago the collection amounted to \$101,500, most of which went to foreign missions.

—During the 41 days racing at Butte, Montana, 200,000 people passed through gates and \$2,000,000 through the pool boxes. Secretary Ed Tipton, of Lexington, managed the meeting.

—The National Baptist convention representing more than one and a quarter million of colored Baptists, will meet at St. Louis, Sept. 16.

The big, hearty, healthy man is a continual irritation to his dyspeptic friend. Constipation is the root of nine tenths of the sickness of men. It can be cured easily, naturally and quickly. It is continually working at hand and can be thrown off impurities and to throw off poisonous refuse matter. When there is an impediment Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets set the wheels working again without any trouble. They assist nature in a gentle, healthful, efficient way. There is nothing violent about their action and yet it is just as certain as if it were twice as violent. "You do not become a slave to their use." They are different and better than any other pill for the cure of constipation, headache and kindred derangements. Almost all druggists understand this and are conscientious enough to tell you so. The druggist who tries to sell you a substitute is not a safe man from whom to buy medicine.

Send at cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page "Common Sense Medical Adviser," profusely illustrated.

Chickamauga, Sept. 19 and 20th, 1863.
The anniversary of this great fight will be remembered this year by a low rate excursion over the great Queen & Crescent route, from all points in the North at one-cent a mile. Only \$7.35 round-trip from Cincinnati, and a low rate from all points South of Cincinnati.

The Queen & Crescent will give half rates to Covington, Sept. 14 and 15 on account of the meeting of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, Sept. 15 to 18.

Philadelphia, Pa. National Druggists' Association. October 5th to 9th.

Queen & Crescent.—Reduced rates to Newport races. One fare for round trip from Somerset and points north to Cincinnati.

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SELECTIONS

A LAKE'S AILMENT.

Facts About Volvox Globator and the Effect on the Bass Fishing.

"The lake is purging to beat the band," remarked Tom Garrison, the one-eyed guide at Greenwood lake, on Wednesday to a couple of his patrons from this city who arrived on the first evening train after having telegraphed to him to meet them and be prepared for moonlight bass fishing.

When Tom said that the lake was purging he meant to prepare them for any disappointment they might meet, for it is a widely circulated theory that bass do not bite well when the lake is purging. Tom Garrison knows that there is no truth in it, because he has frequently done his best when the water was at its worst, but he thought it well to moderate the hopes of his two patrons and put them in a position where they would blame the condition of the water rather than their guide if they failed to catch any fish.

"It is in a fearful state," said the doctor as he looked at the water from the boat landing at Sterling Forest. "I never saw it worse but once, and that was in 1893."

"What is it?" asked the doctor's companion.

"It's just purge," said Tom. "Three or four times every year the lake gets sick and throws off that stuff. It's just like a man having the hives or the prickly heat. A good sharp rain would clear it up in no time. I've seen it all go away in a night."

Tom really believed what he said, but it only proved his lack of observation and his faith in the theories advanced by the natives with whom he was brought up. With the doctor it was different. He was quite young when his attention was first called to the purging at the lake. It was something entirely new to him. The water was almost as thick as gruel, with minute, greenish globules suspended in it, and the surface was covered with a yellowish green scum composed of the same little particles.

Those on the surface were apparently dead, but those which hung poised in the water were lively, and moved to and fro in a manner which led him to the instant conclusion that they were animal. He captured a lot of them in a mineral water bottle and took them home for microscopic examination. He did not for a moment think that he had made any new discovery, but was sure that the matter had been thoroughly studied and described. Seeking authorities he quickly found a lot of literature about the little organisms, and of this he remembered enough to set Tom right and at the same time instruct his friend.

"Each one of those little spheres," he said, "is an individual plant, with the peculiar faculty of propulsion. The name of the plant is Volvox globator, or rolling ball. It is one of the commonest forms of pond life, and has wonderful powers of reproduction. Each little ball consists of a network holding together a number of little green specks, and each has a number of little hairs which it keeps in motion, and their action upon the water rolls the ball over and propels it along in an irregular manner. Each of these specks, in time, will burst from the parent globe and become an independent volvox. When the last one escapes, the parent sphere rises to the surface and dies, to be wafted ashore by the wind."

"This little organism is never found in running water, but its presence in a pond, lake, or reservoir is not an indication that the water is stagnant. I have come to the conclusion, however, that agitation of the water kills the volvox. You may look in vain for them in the brook a quarter of a mile below the lake at a time when the lake is thick with them and when the water is rushing out in torrents. Tom is wrong about rain killing them. Rain alone will not do it, but a heavy windstorm will."

"My experience in relation to the effect upon the fish is that the volvox does not make much difference if other conditions are right, and the most important condition is the appetite of the bass. The volvox growth is never thick enough to prevent the fish from seeing the bait, and I have caught bass when the little organisms made a green scum on the surface, through which our boat left tracks. In these tracks were the only places where I could see the water at all, so thick was the scum of dead volvox."—New York Sun.

A Great Railway Warehouse.

The great railway warehouse in Liverpool of the Midland Railway company is pronounced one of the most notable structures of its kind in the United Kingdom. Massive girders, weighing about 10 tons each and resting on 96 columns, support the building, which is 5 stories high, 392 feet in length, 176 feet wide and 84 feet high. There were used in its construction 6,000,000 bricks, 1,800 tons of stone, 2,000 tons of cement, 16,000 tons of concrete, 700 tons of slate, 6,000 tons of ironwork, 44 tons of hoop iron, 1,000 tons of timber, 100 tons of lead, 32 tons of nails, 1½ acres of glass and more than half an acre of zinc. There are 55 shoots connecting the different stories or floors.

She Dreamed of Her Death.

Miss Margaret E. O'Connor of St. Louis was recently drowned in Eagle lake, near Racine, Wis. After her death her family discovered among her effects a diary in which she had made an entry two weeks previous, in which she told of a dream wherein she saw herself drowned in a lake which she described. Her description fitted exactly the real circumstances of her death.

APPEAL FOR ARMENIA.

Two Organizations Differ as to the Character of Help Needed.

The Armenian Relief association has issued a long appeal to the business men of America, asking them to help in forming a rescue fund of \$1,000,000 to help the Armenians. Their plan of campaign is to try to improve the condition of Armenian Christians through political channels, and, failing that, to supply them with funds to enable them to emigrate.

The other association which interests itself in the cause of these subjects of the sultan, the national Armenian relief committee, feels that this is a mistake, that no good can be done by these methods, and that the plan of asking the United States government to interfere in behalf of the Armenians which is advocated by J. Bleeker Miller, chairman of the executive committee of the Armenian Relief association, is not wise.

Although anxious to raise funds for their relief, the members of the national committee of the woman's branch, of which Miss Wilhelmina L. Armstrong is corresponding secretary, think that help should come in another form. They have found that immediate relief is most needed for food, clothes and medical attendance. In their rescue work in Turkey they find that more money is needed for actual present necessities than for any far-reaching attempts. Miss Armstrong feels strongly that the centuries of oppression and fighting for principle and to be true to their faith have taught the Christian Armenians courage and energy, and she says that she is quite sure they would be ready to help and defend themselves if they were merely given the means.

TO BREATHE FOR US NEXT.

Here's a Company That Will Do Almost Anything For You.

Articles of incorporation of the United States Guide and Information company have been filed with the secretary of state of New Jersey, in Trenton. The authorized capital stock is \$1,000,000. The incorporators include some of the best known men of New Jersey, among them being State Treasurer George B. Swain and Comptroller W. S. Hancock.

The company has issued an elaborate prospectus of its plans. The objects are to furnish the public with an authorized corps of guides, under bond, for a certain fixed rate of compensation, with guarantee for the faithful performance of their duty; to solicit passengers for steamboats, steamships and railroads and guests for hotels and boarding houses; to furnish the public all kinds of information and advice; to sell tickets for all steamship and railroad lines, parlor cars, trolley and elevated roads and for theaters, concerts, lectures and all public entertainments; to act as agent for express and freight companies, and between such companies and the public; to investigate all branches of business and report as to their reliability and responsibility; to place advertisements in the United States and in foreign countries; to employ attorneys, managers and agents for those needing them, and to purchase materials, supplies and machinery of every description. The guides are to be uniformed and stationed at railroad depots, steamship landings and in prominent hotels.

PEARY HEARD FROM.

Professor Tarr Writes Home From the Steamship Hope.

The first direct news from the Peary arctic expedition received in Gloucester, Mass., came the other evening in a long letter to Mrs. Tarr, wife of Professor Ralph S. Tarr of the Cornell scientific party which is with Lieutenant Peary on the steamer Hope, which sailed July 15 from Sydney, C. B.

While the letter was written on board the steamer at sea, July 17, 18 and 19, it bears the postmark of northern Labrador, Aug. 15. Professor Tarr says July 17 they were west of Boone bay, 200 miles on their way, with fine weather and smooth sea.

The 18th they were passing through Belle Isle in the midst of wonderful scenery, where the rugged, high hills were all covered with snow. July 19 they had reached Turnavik island, latitude 55.30, which was about half way up the coast of Labrador, where the letter was given a fisherman to put on board the mail steamer for Newfoundland.

All hands were well and the outlook most encouraging.

Russia Buys Our Machinery.

The Russian government has been negotiating for some time with the Delaware Iron company, in Newcastle, Del., to secure a vast amount of its machinery, and the bargain has been completed on satisfactory terms to both parties. The contract means the delivery of all the material of the tube and pipe mill connected with the iron company's big plant and also involves the sending to Russia of a large force of workmen, who will put the machinery together and start it in good running order.

That Oldest Man Again.

The old time colored man a century or two old has bobbed up again. This time it is Richard Reddick, said to be born in 1777. This makes the gentleman 119 years old. He was interviewed in 27 Federal street by an afternoon paper reporter, who coaxed him through the usual "I saw George Washington" and "When I was a slave" formula. The reporter conscientiously adds that he "breathed heavily" during the interview.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

To Explore Mexican Ruins.

The Mexican government has authorized the thorough exploration of the ruins of Mitla, situated south of Puebla. These ruins are a mystery to archaeologists, and their exploration is expected to bring to light many interesting facts in regard to the early history of that country.

SHE WAS RESCUED.

THIS IS THE THRILLING BUT TRUTHFUL TALE OF A BUCKET.

It Was No Ordinary, Old Oaken, Iron Bound, Moss Covered Bucket—It Came Into the Play Because Miss Sadie Objected to Being Called "Dead Slow."

This is the tale of a bucket. Incidentally it is a tale of daring do, of beauty in peril, of bitter tears, of manful endeavor, of heroic rescue, of thanksgiving for dangers past.

It was no ordinary bucket, no moss covered bucket, no old oaken bucket that hung by the well. It was a bucket of distinction, a bucket of parts, a bucket of illimitable hospitality and inherent beneficence. Whatever its ostensible raison d'être, there are many who will see in this Chevalier Bayard of buckets a manifestation of the finger of Providence, many who will swear that it was fashioned by fate for the sinner of a beleaguered damsel. Whereof the story followeth:

'Twas July 23, and quite soft were the skies, whence it might be inferred that Sadie Meyerfriend was likewise. Which the meter's as rough as the rocks Sadie scaled on her road toward the skies.

Miss Meyerfriend was from Oakland. Her fellow tourists, a dozen or so, were from San Francisco. To seek to probe a woman's motives may be both folly and presumption, but one is bound to take cognizance of important facts. Important fact No. 1 in the tale of a bucket is that Miss Meyerfriend overheard a young man in the party hazard the opinion that Oakland girls were "dead slow." Important fact No. 2 is that immediately thereafter Miss Meyerfriend hazarded the feat which made her famous, and without which this tale of a bucket would never be written. Let him who dares draw an inference from this conjunction of circumstances.

They had left Skaggs' Springs, these happy tourists, for a tramp through the mountains. They had just arrived at the base of Major's rock when the ill advised San Franciscan made his remark about Oakland girls being "dead slow." Miss Meyerfriend's eyes shot fire as they traveled to the summit of the rock, which towers skyward 100 feet like a huge monolith.

"Let's climb to the top," she said, darting at the detractor of Oakland girlhood a glance which said "damnit" as plainly as words.

The young man looked dubiously at the forbidding crag, but his pride forbade him to weaken, and he responded:

"Let's."

And the rest of the party echoed "Let's" in varying moods and tenses of reluctance. The Oakland girl led the way. With the agility of a chamois and the determination of the young man who bore mid snow and ice a banner with the strange device "Excelsior," she bounded to the lowermost ledge and began to climb. The flippant young man followed her. The rest compromised by looking on and uttering words of encouragement.

After awhile she reached the summit and bent upon her companions beneath a rather red but very triumphant face. Following her hands into a speaking trumpet she uttered a series of ejaculations of which the breeze permitted these fragments to reach the earth:

"Simply beautiful—ought to be the view—most exhilarating air I ever—lovely natural seat hewn by nature out of—why didn't Mr.—enjoy this—is he ill!—hooray for Oakland!"

Miss Meyerfriend had produced the sensation she desired, and at the end of 15 minutes she started to descend—started, but no more. Her friends saw her climb down a few feet, and then stop, with one foot gesticulating eloquently over a chasm. Then she tried it with the other foot, and then she climbed back to the top. She peered down the escarpment on all sides, looking for a practicable path. She tried it backward, forward, sideward, until her friends expected to see her compromise by walking down on her hands. Finally she had a good cry, and these words floated to the watchers beneath:

"Oh! Oh-h-h!—can't get down—some of you men—help me—I'll die of fright—don't do something—Boo-hoo-hoo!—a ladder or something—sure I shall fall—tell my poor mother!"

Half a dozen men sprang to scale the rock, but their strength was not equal to the task. Messengers were sent post-haste to the hotel at Skaggs' Springs, but that meant delay, and meanwhile Miss Meyerfriend of Oakland was wringing her hands and declaring that she would die of hunger and exposure even if she were not dashed to pieces from the summit.

Ropes and ladders came from the hotel, and then came the laborious work of digging holes in the rock and fastening ladders where they would do the most good. By this time, however, Sadie Meyerfriend was in a collapse and could do nothing to aid in her own rescue.

In this emergency the bucket arrived. It is bootless to tell where the bucket was found or who found it. Enough that it was a big bucket—big enough to bear the fairest freight ever borne by bucket.

The bucket was hoisted to the summit of Major's rock, and the rescuers exhibited it dramatically to the terrified maiden.

"Lo!" they said. "Your salvation. Pray descend."

"What," she sobbed, "in a bucket?"

"Even so," said they.

And so she huddled into it, the poor, frightened little Oakland girl, and, covering her face from shame and grief, was lowered to the bosom of her family and friends, while nobody cheered louder than the flippant young man whose remark had caused all the trouble.

Concerning which it is whispered that the tale of the bucket may develop a sequel that Sadie Meyerfriend never suspected when she clambered up Major's rock.—San Francisco Examiner.

SALT. I have received a Fresh Car-Load of Salt and will sell Seven Bushel Barrels at \$1.40. Isaac Hamilton, Rowland, Ky.

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AN ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is given that an election will be held on

Tuesday, Nov. 3rd, 1896.

At the regular November Election, in Lincoln county, Ky., for the purpose of taking the sense of the legal and qualified voters of said county on the proposition whether or not to have Free Turnpikes and Gravel Roads in said county of Lincoln. Said election will be held in pursuance of an order of the judge of the Lincoln County Court, made and entered at the August term of said court, 1896, which order is in words and figures, as follows, to-wit:

Regular Term Lincoln County Court, held Aug. 6, 1896, Hon. Geo. M. Davison, Judge Presiding.

In the matter of J. M. Cook and others, voters of Lincoln county, Ky., for a vote in said county upon the proposition to have Free Turnpikes and Gravel Roads in said county.

On motion of the applicants' counsel herein, the application of J. M. Cook and others, voters of Lincoln county, Ky., heretofore directed to, and received by the County Judge of the Lincoln County Court, was submitted to the judge of said court at the regular August term thereof, and the 10th day of August, 1896, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the judge of said court that a written application asking for a vote upon the proposition to have Free Turnpikes and Gravel Roads in Lincoln county, Ky., was heretofore, to-wit: On the 5th day of August, 1896, presented to and received by said judge, and that said written application was signed by a number of voters of said county of Lincoln equal to 15 per cent. of the vote cast at the last preceding election held in said county, which was a general and regular election, and the petitioners making said application having paid into court a sufficient amount of money to pay for the orders, printing, advertising and all other necessary expenses connected with the election prayed for, it is now therefore ordered that an election be held in Lincoln county, Kentucky, at the next regular election thereon on the 3rd day of November, 1896, more than 60 days intervening between the entering of this order and the day of said regular election, to take the sense of the qualified voters of said county upon the proposition to have Free Turnpikes and Gravel Roads in said county of Lincoln, and Thomas D. Newland, the sheriff of said county of Lincoln, do hereby direct to open a poll at each and all of the voting precincts in said county of Lincoln at the time heretofore designated, for the purpose of taking the sense of the qualified voters of the county of Lincoln on the proposition aforesaid. T. D. NEWLAND, S. L. C.

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PERSONAL POINTS.

MISS CORA JONES, of Wayne, is a guest at the St. Asaph Hotel.

MISS DOLLIE WILLIAMS, of Hustonville, is the guest of Mrs. Mary Craig.

MR. I. L. INGRAM, of Louisville, is with his grandfather, Isaac Hamilton.

MR. W. H. SHANKS is in Cincinnati buying fall goods for his large cash store.

MRS. MALINDA HAYDEN returned yesterday from a visit to relatives in Madison.

JUDGE M. C. SAUFLEY is spending a few days with his old friends at Monticello.

MR. CARL WHEELER and Miss Mattie Alcorn, of Hustonville, were here this week.

MISS MARY POWELL, of the Shelby City section, is the guest of Mrs. Joseph Severance.

MISS ISABELLA BAILEY left yesterday to resume her studies in the college at Mexico, Mo.

MISS JENNIE MCKINNEY, of the West End, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McKinney.

REY R. B. MAHONY went up to Knox county yesterday to attend the Mt. Zion association.

MRS. MAGGIE DUNN and Miss Lena Bright, of Lancaster, are guests of Mrs. M. S. Baughman.

MISS PEARL BURNSIDE is visiting her cousin, Misses Bessie and Jennie Burnside, in Garrard.

MESSRS. WM. DAUGHERTY and Peter Straub, Jr., are at Tatham Springs in search of health.

MRS. M. F. BRINKLEY, of Louisville, and Mrs. P. W. Green, of McKinney, were guests of Mrs. J. E. Portman.

MR. D. H. REID, of Pittsburg, came down to attend the Odd Fellow's lodge, of which he is a member, Tuesday night.

MR. W. G. McALPHE, of the Louisville Times, was here yesterday helping Agent Barnes Wearen increase his subscription list.

MISS ANNIE BRONAUGH ENGLEMAN has returned to Potter College, Bowling Green, and Miss Anna Evans Bright to Millersburg College.

MR. AL BURNS, of Hustonville, spent several days with his old friends here. Like the rest of the West Enders he is an ardent admirer of silver.

REV. H. R. MILLS and wife have gone to Somerset to visit Mr. Mills' grandmother, Mrs. Sallie Mills, and to attend annual conference, which meets at that place.

REV. H. N. FALCONER was here this week en route to his charge at Barbourville. He had been to Lancaster, where he preached several times and made a fine impression.

HON. J. S. OWSELEY, SR., is back from Nashville and Lebanon, Tenn. From talks with people of all parties and prelections he finds that Bryan will carry the State easily.

MISS LENA BRIGHT, of Lancaster, is agent for Henry Taylor Noel's new novel "Brysonia," which is receiving much favorable comment, and is here prosecuting the canvass and visiting Miss Margaret Noel.

CITY AND VICINITY.

BARGAINS in guns at Craig & Hocker's.

TABLETS and school supplies at Craig & Hocker's.

WANT to buy old gold or silver. Danko, the jeweler.

COME to the auction Monday. W. H. Wearen & Co.

COMPLETE stock of school books at W. B. McRoberts.

HEADQUARTERS for fine perfumes. Craig & Hocker.

COURT DAY bring your watch and clock for repairs to Danko.

AUCTION Monday, Sept. 14. One day only. W. H. Wearen & Co.

FALL line of Zeigler shoes now at Shauks'. Zeigler's shoes are the most comfortable, most stylish, most durable and the cheapest.

THE Stanford Male and Female Academy, Prof. F. J. Duffy principal, and Miss Ruth Ellerson, assistant, has started out with 25 pupils.

MILLEDGEVILLE.—Mr. M. F. North will speak there Saturday at 7:30 p. m. in the interest of the democratic party generally and Bryan and Sewall in particular.

IN another column the advertisement of Thomas Dalton appears. He has had years of experience as a jeweler and as an engraver he can't be beaten. Give him a trial. Can be found at Penny's Drug Store.

CAUTION.—Since we use nothing but select wheat, and guarantee every pound of our flour, you should insist on having our goods. Some other mills are grinding smutty and musty wheat. J. H. Baughman & Co.

For school supplies, tablets, new stationery go to W. B. McRoberts.

Go to Severance & Son's court day for bargains in shoes, clothing and hats.

We can save you money on family, ready mixed paints. Craig & Hocker.

BRIDLES, Back-bands, Collars, Hames, Pads, Trace Chains, &c., at cost at Warren & Shanks.

A LITTLE daughter of Miller and Eliza Broadus died of whooping cough. That epidemic is very prevalent in colored circles.

THE weather has been delightfully pleasant and the signal service says tomorrow will be fair with stationary temperature.

LOST.—Between Crab Orchard Springs and Lancaster a ladies' long, gold watch chain. Liberal reward for return to Louis Landram, Lancaster, Ky.

TAXES.—The tax books are ready and your taxes are due and unpaid. By settling at once you will save yourself both expense and trouble. T. D. Newland, sheriff.

WHILE boring a well for Mr. Josh Jones Straub & Totten's drill broke at a depth of 100 feet under the ground. A portion of it stuck fast and the last few days have been spent in getting it out and repairing it.

JOHN MURPHY, who was pardoned by Gov. Worthington, Monday, was here yesterday to see about getting back his old job of braking. He had no trouble in securing it and will go to work in a few days.

THE Danville Advocate says the city council is thinking of passing a Curfew ordinance, forbidding children on the streets after 9 o'clock at night, unless with their parents or guardian. Such a law might very well be applied here.

LECTURE.—Mrs. Anna McClary, who represents the Viavi treatment, cordially invites the mothers and daughters to attend a free lecture Wednesday, Sept. 16, at 3 p. m. at Walton's Opera House by Mrs. M. W. Bender, of Louisville.

RATTLE SNAKE.—John Campbell brought to town Wednesday and had on exhibition at M. D. Elmore's store a stuffed rattle snake that he killed on Green river a few weeks ago. It measured 5 1/2 feet in length and was nearly as large as a man's arm. There were 12 rattles on it.

CONTEST.—Mrs. Laura Daniels, of Danville, was here a few days ago to get one of our young ladies to represent Stanford in her elocutionary contest to occur at the Opera House in her city, Sept. 18, but failed to do so. The contest promises to be a lively one as seven young ladies from as many towns will contest. Miss Mary Stowell, of Indianapolis, a noted soprano, will furnish the music for the occasion.

CHEAP RATES.—Agent J. S. Rice tells us that the L. & N. will sell tickets at one fare for the round-trip, Sept. 12, on account of the notification meeting at Louisville. A special train will return same night at 11 o'clock, but tickets will be good to return on 13th. Tickets will be sold at same rate Sept. 14 on account of Bryan speaking in Louisville. Special train at 11 p. m. to return, but tickets good to return on the 15th.

PUBLIC SCHOOL.—There have been enrolled up to now 113 pupils, 64 boys and 49 girls in the public school. Mr. Grubbs has enrolled in his room 57 and Miss Wright has 56. There are seats for only 96 and on Tuesday there were 108 in attendance, so 12 were compelled to sit anywhere they could. The trustees have ordered seats for 42 more, then 138 can be accommodated. No more should start until notified that the new desks have arrived. The trustees are making repairs of windows, etc., as fast as possible. E. L. Grubbs.

SOME of the Christian Endeavorers of Shelby City are waiting on their auriculars, because of a typographical error in our letter from there, which made it appear that they entertained recently "with" wine, dancing and card playing, when it should have been "without." Keep your nether garments on, young men, for we assure you that neither the correspondent nor the proof reader had any intention whatever to wrong you or your society, which inculcates principles and a rule of practice of which your communication shows you have not learned.

SPEAKING.—Chairman A. K. Denny and T. M. Goodnight, of the campaign committee, announce the following speaking for next week:

Stanford, Monday, September 14, at 1 p. m., John B. Thompson, candidate for Congress.

McCormacks School-House, Tuesday, Sept. 15, at night, Dr. J. T. Bohon and J. E. Robinson.

Milledgeville, Wednesday, Sept. 16, at night, J. W. Rawlings, assistant district elector, and M. F. North.

Hustonville, Thursday, Sept. 17, at 3 p. m., J. W. Rawlings and M. F. North.

Tarnewsville, Thursday, Sept. 17, at night, J. W. Rawlings and M. F. North.

Kingsville, Friday, Sept. 18, at night, Judge W. E. Varnon and M. F. North.

Waynesburg, Saturday, Sept. 19, 2 p. m., Robert Harding and Judge Varnon.

Ottenheim, Saturday, Sept. 19, at night, Judge Varnon and M. F. North.

You can get at Earp's gallery six Tri- by Panels furnished on the Aristo Platin paper for \$1. This offer is from now till October 1st.

ANOTHER little girl arrived Wednesday night to further bless the union of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Gregory. The father arrived from Grayson the same night.

THE papers are publishing that Boss Davison is sick and not able to prosecute his canvass in the effort to create sympathy for him. He may be sick at heart and doubtless is, but physically he seems to be as well as he ever was. At least he is on the street a good portion of his time.

NECROSIS.—Drs. W. B. O'Bannon and W. N. Craig operated on Josh Dye, Jr. in jail Tuesday. He has been suffering from necrosis since he was shot by Asberry Elliott. The patient stood it pretty well but has been quite sick since. It will be remembered that he is in jail for stealing his uncle's G. A. R. suit.

THE colored man, Elmore Knox, who was killed by Postmaster Hamilton at Lancaster Wednesday, particulars of which are given in our correspondence from that place, married a daughter of Will Cook, of this place, about six weeks ago. The body was brought her and interred in the cemetery yesterday afternoon.

STEPHEN A. DOUGLAS who probably never would have been known outside of his county had it not been for his grand old father, hasn't much of a reputation as a speaker but the rads from all over the county will be here to hear him. It doesn't take much to interest them generally speaking, and particularly so since they have been listening for a month or more to little "fly-up-the-creeks" who have made night hideous in trying to tell what little they know.

FOUND DEAD.—Dr. T. J. Fayne, a prominent physician of Crab Orchard, died suddenly Monday evening from the effects, it is thought of strychnine taken for sick stomach. Squire Edmiston held an inquest, when a verdict was rendered that he died from the effect of some poison taken, without successful intent. He leaves a wife, two daughters, Mrs. H. H. Cherry, and Miss Maybelle Fayne, and one son, to mourn his loss.

CHANGED HIS PLANS.—"Big Injun" Rothwell and W. O. Owaley, of Lancaster, were here yesterday. The former says he has changed his plans regarding his trip to Lexington to hear Bryan, and instead of walking through he and his friends will start early Monday morning in wagons drawn by two immense traction engines. "We have engaged the Lancaster band," said he, "and by the time we get to Lexington we will have gathered enough recruits to increase our number to 5,000." Mr. Rothwell is very sanguine of Mr. Bryan's election and says Garrard will do her best for him.

Half fare on all railroads to Kentucky's great 10 day trotting meeting at Lexington, October 6th to 16th next. Over 150 horses with records from 2:01 1/2 to 2:15, will start at the great annual trotting meeting at Lexington, Oct. 6th to 16th. Five or six years ago there were not that many 2:20 performers in the country. Admirers of the great Robert J., 2:01 1/2, the fastest harness horse in the world, will see him as a race horse for the last time at the Lexington trots commencing Oct. 6th. The Hamblins have sold him to Mr. Tewksbury, the rich New York road driver, for delivery after the Lexington meeting, when he will act as mate to Mascot, 2:04. Thousands will be at Lexington to cheer the great pacer if he succeeds in defeating the mighty field against him, Joe Patchen, 2:03; Gentry, 2:03 1/2; Agan, 2:03 1/2 and Rubinstein, 2:05.

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